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FINANCIAL REPORT

OF THE

Town of Carroll,

FOR THE

Year Ending March 1, 1891.

LITTLETON, N. H.
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FINANCIAL REPORT.

No. of Polls, 190; valuation, $19,000. Real estate value, $197,345. No. of horses, 300; valuation, $15,074. No. of cattle, 406; valuation, $6926. No. of sheep, 72; value, $190. No. of hogs, 50; value, $292. No. of carriages, 50; value, $2840. Money on Int., $1029. Stock in trade, $40,350. Machines and mills, $10,800. No. of dogs, 54; value, $54.

Per cent. on total valuation, $1.83

AMOUNT OF TAXES ASSESSED.

Town tax,	$1400 00
State "	640 00
County "	1131 40
School "	748 00
Maintainance of the poor,	100 00
Horton bridge,	1000 00
For safe and hearse runners,	250 00
Non-resident highway tax,	99 49
Dog tax,	54 00
Swell,	189 50
Total,	$5612 39

TOWN OFFICERS' REPORT.

The following is a settlement between the Selectmen and the Treasurer for the year ending February 28, 1891, and we find we have received the following:—

Money in the treasury Mar. 1, 1890,	$318 30
Money borrowed of Mrs. C. O. Burbank,	450 00
" " " C. W. Charlton,	200 00
Redemption money Lot 7, Range 8,	34 90
Highway tax on Fabyan House,	120 00

Redemption money of G. H. Towle,	10 86
" " collector collected,	3 12
Savings Bank tax, 1890,	301 34
County pauper claims,	348 47
Received from M. C. R. R. changing bridge,	50 00
Bounty on 2 bears,	20 00
Literary fund, 1890,	184 04
Railroad tax, "	120 99
Liquor prosecution,	50 00
S. W. Kelly, surveyor,	1 15
School board, books sold,	78
Holman Blood, collector 1881 on list,	17 76
" " " interest,	16 43
F. B. Rosebrook, collector 1884 on list,	81 42
" " " interest,	51 63
C. S. Miles, collector 1886 on list,	53 80
Isaac Thompson, collector 1888 on list,	143 15
" " " " interest,	15 27
" " " 1889 on list,	732 39
" " " " interest,	12 79
E. L. Miles, collector 1890 on list,	5328 39
" " " " interest,	6 80
Total,	$8673 78

HIGHWAY ORDERS.

Harlow Hall, work on highway $1.11, shoveling snow .25,	$ 1 36
C. C. Stoddard, breaking roads Feb. 1890,	4 25
N. D. Baldric work on highway,	2 00
Franklin Worthley, work on highway,	3 00
C. D. Root, cedar posts,	27 00
D. M. Hardy, use of cart,	1 00
E. M. Moody, work with road machine and repairs on road machine,	15 50
Henry Wescomb, powder, fuse and work,	5 97
Geo. W. Richardson, Mar. 5, 1890,	45
N. D. Baldric, work,	16 00
E. M. Moody, work with road machine,	13 00
N. A. Glines, work on highway,	27 50
F. C. Hall, " "	4 50
C. O. Burbank, work on Horton bridge,	21 75
" " White Mt. Bridge,	15 00
J. E. Henry, for loading and delivering stone for White Mt. bridge,	13 50
Geo. W. Richardson, work on highway,	3 75

John Damon, Feb. 21, 1890,	50
W. W. Glines, work on highway,	6 00
James Leonard, " "	2 25
Geo. W. Richardson, " "	1 84
N. D. Baldric, " "	2 62
Calvin Rines, " "	8 25
David Carr, " "	4 75
Geo. W. Richardson, breaking roads,	6 50
David Carr, " "	2 25
J. B. Caldon, " "	3 60
David Carr, " "	3 01
Geo. W. Richardson, " "	4 40
David Carr, " "	3 70
Geo. H. Hunt, April and May 1889 $4, Dec. 1890 $1.50,	5 50
Franklin Worthley, breaking roads,	5 40
David Carr, " "	2 48
Geo. W. Richardson, " "	5 70
J. B. Caldon, " "	2 45
Geo. W. Howe, " "	6 75
W. W. Glines, " "	8 00
Chas. Pillsbury, breaking roads 1890 $6.66, 1891 .50,	7 06
Calvin Rines, breaking roads,	16 83
C. C. Stoddard, " "	9 00
Hosea Abbott, " "	6 75
C. N. Howe, work on highway,	7 00
John W. Hunt, drawing stones to Little River,	11 90
L. W. Hardy, work on highway $3.75, breaking roads $4.50,	8 25
E. E. Howe, breaking roads,	3 00
F. B. Rosebrook, breaking roads,	4 50
Wm. Rosebrook, breaking roads $10.50, highway work $10,	20 50
Horace M. Lindsey, breaking roads,	7 25
Russell Glines, " "	5 34
Joseph Haynes, " "	5 50
C. S. Leavitt, " "	7 00
Twin Mountain House, " "	10 25
N. A. Glines, " "	2 00
N. D. Baldric, " "	3 00
E. L. Miles, non-resident highway taxes worked out,	38 75
N. B. Glines, breaking road,	8 25
Joseph Wescomb, breaking road,	3 00
R. D. Rounsevel, work on highway,	13 00
E. E. Howe, damage to sled on M. C. railroad crossing,	5 00
	$464 21

MISCELLANEOUS ORDERS.

Geo. E. Henry, P. M., stamps and envelopes,		$ 1 10
J. M. Rowell, recording deeds,		2 60
C. S. Miles, fare to Littleton to get town reports printed, and express on same,		90
Geo. C. Furber, printing town reports,		15 60
H. D. Bishop, work on Horton bridge,		10 50
C. S. Miles, taking Henry Laboutt's deposition,	$ 80	
C. S. Miles, taking Charles Eagle's deposition,	2 12	
		2 92
American Express Co., on books,		2 00
J. B. Lippincott, text books,		32 70
Lee & Shepard, text books,		5 00
Leach, Shewell & Sanborn, text books,		13 32
Edson C. Eastman, tax collector and highway books,		3 10
Almond Rosebrook, making out tax list,		7 50
J. F. Leavitt, text books,		12 62
Jane Thompson, cleaning town house,		4 00
Vermont Construction Company, Horton bridge,		900 00
Concord R. R., freight on safe,		15 98
Edgar Aldrich, counsel in Clark case, M. C. R. R ,		5 00
C. N. White, insuring town buildings,		36 00
Geo. E. Henry, P. M., 100 stamped envelopes,		2 20
Mosler Safe Co., one safe,		201 00
American Road Machine Co., repairs for road machine,		8 75
J. B. Lippincott, text books,		8 95
C. N. White, insuring Fabyan school-house,		8 00
D. Appleton & Co., text books,		49 15
Effingham Maynard & Co., text books,		10 80
Bingham, Mitchell & Batchellor, service in coroner's inquest and liquor prosecution,		49 00
Edson Eastman, town meeting warrants,	$ 32	
Edson Eastman, legal blanks,	1 19	
		1 51
Mrs. G. G. Howe, cleaning town house,		3 00
L. W. Hardy, bounty on bear,		10 00
" " " "		10 00
Solon A. Carter, state treasurer,		640 00
Mrs. C. O. Burbank, note,		465 22
C. S. Miles, taking Henry Liberty's deposition,		80
E. C. Eastman, town warrants,		30
George R. Eaton, county treasurer,		1131 40
Wm. Rosebrook, sexton,		8 75
O. G. Barron, one sheep killed by dogs,		5 00
American Book Co., text books,		16 32

J. B. Lippincott, text books,	5 94
Leach, Shewell & Sanborn, text books,	3 72
Edson C. Eastman, town order book,	1 33
J. E. Henry, amount voted to be paid on Zealand bridge,	50 00
Boston & Lowell R. R., freight on road machine,	19 10
Drew & Jordan, legal service,	36 00
Clara A. Holmes, on note given May 20, 1885,	1600 00
	$5417 08

TOWN OFFICERS' ORDERS.

Franklin Worthley, moderator,	$ 2 00
J. F. Leavitt, town clerk,	30 00
Franklin Worthley, member school board,	8 00
W. W. Glines, member school board,	8 00
C. S. Miles, member school board,	9 00
C. S. Miles, district clerk,	3 00
C. S. Miles, superintendent of schools,	30 00
George H. Hunt, auditor for 1889,	5 00
Hiram Abbott, supervisor for 1890,	6 00
A. M. Allen, supervisor for 1889–90,	12 60
Zebe Howe, supervisor for spring of 1890,	
C. S. Miles, auditor for 1889,	6 00
C. S. Miles, town agent, deeding land to W. K. Quimby,	1 50
Zebe Howe, supervisor Nov. election, 1890,	6 00
N. A. Glines, care of hearse and attending funerals,	24 00
C. S. Miles, collector for 1886,	5 00
C. S. Miles, auditor for 1890,	6 00
N. D. Baldric, selectman for 1890,	30 25
C. O. Burbank, selectman for 1890,	24 00
J. H. Henry, selectman for 1890,	37 85
Isaac Thompson, treasurer for 1890,	25 00
Isaac Thompson, collector for 1889,	10 00
E. L. Miles, collector for 1890,	89 20
Holman D. Blood, collector for 1881,	12 00
	$413 90

COUNTY PAUPER ORDERS.

Concord R. R., for ticket for H. R. Shippe from Zealand to Worcester, Mass.,	6 50
B. F. Wells, coffin and box,	9 00
Delina Cote, caring for Mrs. Henry Liberty,	22 00
F. G. Moffett, medical attendance,	15 00
American Express Co., burial case,	80

C. O. Burbank, services and expenses at inquest of George Atkinson,	9 55
N. D. Baldric, suit of clothes furnished to Abner Goddard,	10 00
Henry Perry,	10 70
Dr. Geo. S. Gove,	16 00
David Mears,	5 00
Maine Central R. R.,	10 00
Henry Wescomb,	2 00
Dr. C. H. Burnham,	10 00
B. F. Wells,	10 00
George Applebee,	12 00
William Eagle,	11 43
C. P. Ingerson,	8 00
Thomas Gammon,	8 00
Dr. J. L. McGregor,	24 75
	$217 73

ABATEMENT ORDERS.

George Applebee,	90
John Rolfe,	1 80
N. D. Baldric, water,	3 00
George Stewart, water,	3 00
Frank Seymour,	9 00
Calvin Rines, water,	3 00
Harlow Hall, water,	2 00
C. C. Stoddard,	3 70
James E. Monohan,	1 84
John Boone, poll tax,	1 83
Walter Boone, "	1 83
W. N. Adams, "	1 83
George Barney, "	1 83
Fred Chase, "	1 83
J. H. Lawler, "	1 83
Joseph McDonald, "	1 83
Fred Labinte, "	1 83
Dan Hume, "	1 83
Fred'k Coomb, "	1 83
James Lawler, "	1 83
E. L. Roberts, "	1 83
George Atkinson, "	1 83
John Brown, "	1 83
Archie Damon, "	1 83
R. R. Rollins, "	1 83
George McRae, tax and dog,	2 83

W. H. Smith, poll tax,	1 83
Sam. Dory, "	1 83
E. L. Miles, collector, interest on abatement,	1 74
D. M. Hardy, water,	3 00
F. B. Rosebrook, water,	3 00
Alex. Williams, poll tax,	1 83
Howard Porter, "	1 83
Jas. Keenan, "	1 83
Israel Bordreau, "	77
John Staples,	1 35
Hugh Burns, dog tax,	1 00
Andrew Murphy, "	1 00
R. D. Rounsevel, "	1 00
N. D. Baldric, water,	1 00
J. E. Henry, water,	3 00
Wm. Phillips, poll tax,	1 50
Lewis Carr, "	1 50
Hugh McCorten, "	1 50
Ed. McNulty, "	1 50
Frank Summers, "	1 50
Angus Kennedy, "	1 50
Joseph Shepard, "	1 50
Peter Draper, "	1 50
Everett Decker, "	1 50
Isaac Thompson, collector,	3 04
Sam Stone, poll tax,	1 68
Jack Bengee, "	1 68
Calvin Batchelder, "	1 68
Henry Rookey, "	1 68
Chas. McGoldrick, "	1 68
Howard Smith, "	1 68
Thos. Moran, "	1 68
Thos. Ellis, "	1 68
James McGunn, "	1 68
Wm. McDonald, "	1 68
Frank Criens, "	96
H. D. Blood, collector for 1881, interest,	16 43
Isaac Thompson, collector, interest,	3 64
Augustus Libbey, poll tax,	1 50
Everett Decker, "	1 80
Dan Haughey, "	1 50
Peter Fortier, "	1 50
Mike Dunn, "	1 50
John Ross, "	1 50
Frank Tinkham, "	1 50

Norman Hawley,	"	1 50
Pat. McLaughlin,	"	1 00
James Barrett,	"	1 50
John Quinn,	"	1 50
Israel Bordreau,	"	2 31
Harvey Caswell,	"	1 50
Fred Chase,	"	1 50
L. Payne,	"	1 50
H. H. Joslyn,	"	1 50
W. J. Booth,	"	1 50
Joseph Dowell,	"	1 50
Total,		$169 84

TOWN PAUPER ORDERS.

F. G. Marshall, board for Jas. Hughes,	$240 00

SCHOOL ORDERS.

Treas. school board,	$971 45
" " "	19 78
	$991 23

There is due the town.

C. S. Miles, collector 1886 on list,	$ 24 80
" " " " interest,	33 40
Isaac Thompson, collector 1888 on list,	70 97
" " " " interest,	18 68
" " " 1889 on list,	196 30
" " " " interest,	30 06
E. L. Miles, " 1890 on list,	277 18
E. L. Miles, collector 1890 interest,	6 93
Coos Co. pauper claim,	72 85
Amt. in treasury March 1st, 1891,	759 79
Taxes on Stewart's place for which the town has deeds,	57 31
J. Burroughs for plank,	6 00
Total,	$1564 27

The town is owing:

C. S. Miles, collector 1886,	$ 5 00
Isaac Thompson, collector 1888,	5 00
" " " 1889,	5 00
E. L. Miles, " 1890,	15 00
Literary fund due schools,	184 04

Dog tax due schools,	46 00
Coos County for boarding Jas. Hughes from Oct. 23, 1890, to March 1, 1891,	36 00
Due on Clara A. Holmes note,	1016 34
Due C. W. Charlton note,	209 00
Total,	$1521 38
Surplus,	$42 89

J. H. HENRY,
C. O. BURBANK, } Selectmen of Carroll.

We have examined the accounts of the selectmen and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

CHARLES S. MILES, Auditor of Carroll.

SCHOOL REPORT.

MONEY PAID OUT IN TWIN MOUNTAIN DISTRICT.

S. Maria Little, 24 weeks' teaching, board and car-fare from Nashua and return,	$189 40
Nine cords of 20-inch wood, $1.75 per cord,	15 75
Paid for repairing window,	2 25
One cord 4-foot wood and delivering,	3 50
One day's work on fence and banking,	1 50
One day's work on wood,	1 50
	$213 90

FABYAN DISTRICT.

Sophronia T. Rosebrook, 21 weeks' teaching and board,	$136 50
Four cords wood at $2.37 1-2, delivery, $3.00,	12 50
Four days' work on wood,	6 00
One-half day repairing school-house,	75
A. M. Allen, for cleaning building,	5 00
	$160 75

ZEALAND.

Miss E. L. Little, 12 weeks' teaching and board,	$ 78 00
Miss A. Glines, 7 weeks' teaching and board,	45 50
J. E. Henry, rent and wood,	30 41
	$153 91

TOWN HOUSE DISTRICT.

Stella King, 26 weeks' teaching and board,	$149 50
E. E. Howe, one cord wood,	1 00
Crayons and broom,	40
Cleaning school-house,	2 00
	$152 90

PINE GROVE DISTRICT.

Lillian Marden, 25 weeks' teaching and board,	$106 25
Harlow Hall, four cords wood,	5 00
E. M. Moody, two cords wood,	2 50
Cleaning school-house, and broom,	1 75
Building fires,	3 00
	$118 50

CHERRY MOUNTAIN DISTRICT.

Katherine F. Keefe, 10 weeks' teaching,	30 00
George W. Richardson, 10 weeks' board,	20 00
Fannie M. Rosebrook, 12 weeks' teaching,	36 00
George W. Richardson, 12 weeks' board,	24 00
Franklin Worthley, four cords wood,	5 00
Cleaning school-house,	2 00
O. S. Blood, for clock,	1 25
Glass and putty, 20c; two brooms, 60c;	80
	$119 05

APPLEBEE DISTRICT.

Miss Ina E. Winthrop, 14 weeks' teaching,	$ 42 00
Geo. Applebee, 14 weeks' board,	42 00
	$ 84 00

MISCELLANEOUS.

Six boxes crayons,	75
Four bottles mucilage,	60
Stationery,	60
Postage,	44
Lock and fixtures,	1 15
Hinges and screws,	44
Four brooms, $1.40; dust-pan, 25;	1 65
Six panes glass, 60c; putty, 6c;	66
	$ 6 29

SCHOOL MONEY.

Town tax,	$ 798 00
Literary Fund,	139 23
Dog tax,	54 00
Unexpended last year,	37 45
	$1028 68
Cost of schools,	1009 30
Balance,	$ 19 38

W. W. GLINES,
FRANKLIN WORTHLEY,
C. S. MILES,
} School Board of Carroll.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT OF SCHOOLS.

In reporting the schools of our town for the past year we must not depend upon hearsay, but write of them simply as we found them. Some of our visits were expected and public examinations held; at others the day of our coming was not previously known and so the regular school work was not interfered with, but in all we found much to interest us. Not a dull hour was passed in the 30 visits made during the whole school year.

The Fabyan school was taught by Miss Sophronia T. Rosebrook of this town. Her instruction throughout the year was satisfactory and the discipline good. Miss Rosebrook's general exercise, combining useful information and gems of beautiful thought, was the best we heard in town, and being thoroughly committed and clearly answered gave listening visitors much pleasure. This school numbered 30 pupils, half of whom were on the Roll of Honor.

Miss E. L. Little of Nashua and Miss E. A. Glines of this town taught the Zealand school through the year with profit and pleasure to their pupils. Miss Little, who is an old favorite here, taught the first twelve weeks. Miss Glines gave excellent satisfaction and put in seven weeks of hard, fundamental work. The singing in this school, under Miss Little's tuition, was the best of any school in town. Both teachers liked their work and their pupils, and the latter loved them. Surely, then, did they did not possess the "magic key?"

The Pine Grove school was taught the entire year by Miss Lillian Marden of Whitefield. We were greatly pleased with its progress; in fact, we were not prepared for its great improvement, especially in grammar, since our previous visit. The schoolroom was neat and order good. We were sorry to hear no exercises in hygiene. There are two young ladies in this school who bid fair to make excellent teachers in the near future.

The Cherry Mountain school was taught, the first term by Miss Katherine Keefe of Massachusetts, whose education was excellent but who lacked so sadly in discipline that the school went backward rather than forward. The second term of 12 weeks was taught by Miss Fannie M. Rosebrook of this town, who had good success and brought the pupils well into line, and improvement showed itself in every recitation. The general exercise drill was remarkably good.

The Applebee district school had for its teacher through the year Miss Ina E. Winthrop of Whitefield, the same as last year, which is a sure proof that she gave satisfaction. This school, as we have often remarked before, is so small and so far away from any other school that it might visit and "compare notes," that it has often seemed to us its usefulness must be impaired; but the children there must be educated, and we are glad to note advancement from term to term, and great respect and obedience is always shown there to the teacher.

The Town House school through the year was in charge of Miss Stella King of Whitefield, and Prov. xxxi. 26, applies to her instruction perfectly. The reading, geography and history classes were especially good. There are pupils in this school, both boys and girls, who should soon come to the front as teachers, for they have had good advantages and wisely improved them. We were sorry not to hear a drill in hygiene. There were many little elements of kindness and politeness in this school which were very charming to see

The Twin Mountain school, under the usual thorough direction of Mrs. S. Maria Little, finished a year of good, practical, hard work. We make special mention of the classes in grammar, book-keeping, arithmetic and algebra. Five young ladies of this school we consider amply qualified to enter, this year, the ranks of teachers, not including those already started in that work. And there is a much larger class to step in ere many years, if they continue in the same bright, ambitious way. Within the last year this school has given two excellent entertainments, thereby procuring a handsome flag, a large wall-clock and various toilet articles, besides extra literary work on the Fourth of July, all

being done entirely outside their school work. Mrs. Little firmly impressed upon the minds of her flock the evil effects of alcohol and tobacco *fully up* to the requirements of the law. If there is one study more than another with which we suggest a closer acquaintance it is that of our own state. We are glad to know that a text-book on New Hampshire is doubtless soon to be introduced. Pupils should be able to compare their own State with others in regard to age, size, products, resources, government, railroads, etc. We also hope ere long to see the starry banner floating over every school building in town.

We confess to a good deal of pride in our schools and their advancement during the last five years. Perfection must not be expected. Angel teachers are rare, and for that matter, angel pupils also, but good, smart, earthly teachers for bright, earthly boys and girls are plenty good enough for the present, and such, we believe, this town possesses.

We return our warmest thanks to those teachers, scholars and parents, from whom we have received so much kindness and encouragement, and though we may not meet again in the same capacity we shall always have a lively interest in the education of every child in the schools of Carroll.

Names of Schools.	Terms.	Names of Teachers.	Length of School in weeks.	No. of Scholars.	No. in Arithmetic.	Average Attendance.	No. in Grammar.	Average cost of Scholars per week.
Twin Mountain	1	Mrs. S. M. Little	12	53	50	48	15	.16 8-10
" "	2	" "	12	43	40	40	17	.20 7-10
Zealand	1	Miss E. L. Little	8	25	25	22	5	.27
"	2	" "	8	26	26	23	3	.26
"	3	Miss E. A Glines	7	24	22	22	0	.28
Fabyans	1	Miss S. T. Rosebrook	10	28	15	26	0	.26.5
"	2	" "	11	30	17	28	8	.25.5
Town House	1	Miss Stella King	10	29	24	24	6	.20 2-3
" "	2	" "	8	29	25	28	6	.20 2-3
" "	3	" "	8	29	25	23	6	.20 2-3
Cherry Mountain	1	Miss C. F. Keefe	10	8	8	7	1	.67 5-8
" "	2	Miss F. M Rosebrook	12	9	9	7	5	.60 1-9
Pine Grove	1	Miss Lillian Marden	9	15	8	14	6	.31.6
" "	2	" "	16	15	8	14	6	.31.6
Applebee's	1	Miss I. E. Winthrop	6	6	2	5	0	1.00
"	2	" "	8	6	2	5	0	1.00

Amount for whole town per scholar per week..... 29 11-31
Whole number of scholars not less than five years who have attended school not less than two weeks..... 146
Number of children between 14 and 21 unable to read or write..... None.
Number of children reported by Selectmen and Assessors.
Number of children between 5 and 15 not attending school..... None.
Number of visits of School Board..... 31
Number of visits of Citizens..... 178
Money raised by law..... $798.00
Literary and Railroad fund..... $139 23
Dog money..... $54.00

CHARLES S. MILES, Superintendent.